



NAVY LEAGUE.

H. F. Wyatt Addressed Large Meeting Friday at the Board of Trade Rooms—The First Steps Taken Toward the Formation of a Branch in This City—Several Resolutions Passed—Large Number Enrolled.

H. F. Wyatt, the special envoy of the Navy League of Great Britain, met a number of citizens at the Board of Trade Rooms Friday afternoon, and explained the objects of the League. Mr. Wyatt's visit has been successful, as the first step has been taken toward the formation of a branch here.

business it should be to the public attention upon these great issues. There are now forty-eight branches in the old country and seventeen in the Empire at large, including amongst these five in Canada, of which three, one at Montreal, one at Kingston, and one in Ottawa, have been started in the last few weeks, during his own sojourn in Canada.

or place to discuss the question as to whether the Dominion should give money grant to support the navy. His worship's motion was as follows: "Resolved, that this meeting approve of the formation of a branch of the Navy League in St. John."

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK

Meeting of the Executive Committee of the Provincial Association.

Hold last night in the parlors of Germán Street Baptist Church—Field Secretary's Monthly Report

The executive committee of the Provincial Sunday School Association met in the parlors of the Germán street Baptist church Thursday.

Dear brethren—I present herein my first monthly report of field work in the new association year.

The collections and subscriptions brought into the treasury by the secretary have been \$45.51.

Outside my own work, reports have been sent of a parish convention in St. John, N. S.

Many reports of the Sun will greatly regret to learn that Dr. S. R. Jenkins has lost the sight of one of his eyes.

George H. Crosby, Dies at His Home in Allen, Me.



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Charlotte to Have Bigamy Case on Its Hands. Royal Arcanum at Summerside—Recent Marriages and Deaths—Pat Doherty, Late of Sussex, Has Left the Province—Bits of News.

Charlotte, N. B., Dec. 2.—Charlotte may shortly have a bigamy case on its hands. Simon Joseph, an Assisian, came to this province from his native country 12 years ago and since then has been living with a woman who went by the name of Mrs. Joseph.

Recent marriages and deaths. Royal Arcanum at Summerside. Pat Doherty, late of Sussex, has left the province.

Bits of News. Mrs. Henry Miller and her four children of Summerside have been removed from the province.

WANTED—A case of Headache that KUMFORD's has not cured in from ten to twenty minutes.

REBELLION QUELLED. Results of British Expedition Against Wasiri Tribesmen. PESHAWAR, British India, Nov. 29.—Twenty-five Wasiris killed, 20 taken prisoners, two wounded, 50 fowls and three villages destroyed and 6,000 head of cattle and 800 head of sheep were the net result of the British expedition recently sent against the rebellious tribesmen.

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THE SEMI-WEEKLY SUN. ST. JOHN, N. B., DECEMBER 3, 1902.

AN EVENT IN LIBERAL JOURNALISM. The retirement of Mr. J. S. Willison from the position of editor of the Toronto Globe...

WHOSE FLAG? It is the bounden duty of the mother country while her flag flies over this land to defend it against every enemy and to put forth all her resources to that end.

THE CATTLE QUESTION. The Canadian people are no less anxious than the English farmers to preserve their stock from the danger of the form of murrain called foot and mouth disease.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—Mrs. Kate J. Gassett, aged 23 years, leading woman in Keith's eighth street theatre stock company was shot and killed tonight by Harry Johnston, a well known actor who was formerly a member of the Edward Mansfield's company...

ACTRESS KILLED. By Well Known Actor, Who Then Tried to Commit Suicide.

ANOTHER TART'S ENTERPRISE. The Quebec Mercury, now in its ninety-seventh year, comes to us with the name of L. J. Tarte and Bro., as publishers.

BRIGAND'S STRANGE DEATH. Recently a young peasant woman of Montenegro was returning to her home at Cottine from a town in which she had just sold some poultry...

BOOTHBY WILL WIN OUT. PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 1.—This city nearly elected a democratic mayor today for the first time in ten years...

STILL THERE IS STRENGTH. Theodore Roberts in Almoes's. "Still there is strength and still life holds a golden prize."

ENGLAND'S "POPULAR SIX" NOVELS. Among the popular six novels of 1902 selected by the London Academy...

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A BROOKLYN BELLE THREATENED WITH CONSUMPTION

Pe-ru-na Promptly Saved Her Life. Miss Alice O'Neil, 312 Adams street, Brooklyn, N. Y.



WHEAT PEOPLE SAY. About Pe-ru-na as a Remedy for All Diseases of Winter, Coughs, Colds and Catarrhs.

The Excelsior Life Insurance Company. HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO. BRANCH OFFICE, ST. JOHN N. B. CAPITAL \$500,000. INSURANCE IN FORCE, \$5,000,000.

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CITY

Recent Events. St. John. From Corcoran and Ex. A cow belonging to Mill Cove, Queens, was born to triplets. Samuel Jenkins, one of his fingers, missing in Wadsworth. John Cameron, an ericton post office, annuated after 35 years.







SHIP NEWS

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

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DOMESTIC PORTS.

HALIFAX, Nov. 27—Cleared, str Dunmore Head, for St. John.

BRITISH PORTS.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 26—Arrd, str Colman, from Portland.

FOREIGN PORTS.

GIVITA, Nov. 26—Arrd, str Hebe, from London.

ARRS CANALS CALLED MYTHS

So Says an Englishman—Makes Experiments Apparently Showing Famous Markings Imaginary.

Come remarkable experiments have lately been performed by an English astronomer that tend to throw doubt on the reality of the markings on the planet Mars which have been termed canals and regarded as evidence of the existence of intelligent life on that body.

Both Schiaparelli and Lowell added to the interest in these strange phenomena by announcing that in certain seasons the canals on Mars appeared double. That is by the side of the original appeared a second line parallel and duplicating it in every respect.

Now for the experiments of B. W. Lane, the English astronomer—already mentioned. He conceived the idea that the canals were optical illusions due to vibrations in the earth's atmosphere, which caused such an apparent lengthening of the real markings on the planet.

Mr. Lane next experimented with two boys, both aged 11 years, neither of whom had ever heard of Mars or the markings on it.

MEMORANDA.

Bangor—Ready to sail 25th, str Annie Ellis, for Liverpool.

SPOKES.

Ship Cedarbank, Baldwin, from New York for Melbourne, Nov. 11, lat. N. 10, lon. W. 150.

MONTE CARLO BANK

Something About Institution Many Try to Break.

Grim Jests and Suicides—Place Is at Times—Monaco's Plous Atmosphere.

Monte Carlo is a huge joke. Perhaps the fun is somewhat grim, but it is there, nevertheless. The very history of the place leads up to an inevitable series of humorous episodes.

MONACO'S PIOUS ATMOSPHERE. The Monaco has a peculiarly pious atmosphere which adds to its comedy from the spectator's point of view.

THE TWO PRECISELY ALIKE. This time Mr. Lane copied in the sea for her, and simply told her to fill in anything else she could see. How was careful not to suggest the canal.

LAVISINNESS NO ERROR.

You see a man apparently reckless lavishness of expenditure. He knew quite well what he was doing.

REPORTS.

FRENCH, Nov. 27—The British str. Chickadee, Capt. Sanderson, bound for Hamburg from Philadelphia, via New York.

DE WET'S BOOK.

Why England Didn't Find Her Grave In South Africa.

Boer Fighter Indulges In Pathetic Regret and Bitter Denunciation—He Urges His Countrymen to Be Loyal to the New Government.

LONDON, Nov. 30—"Had not so many of our burghers proved false to their own colors England, as the great Bismarck foretold, would have found her grave in South Africa."

Upon an Eskimo to sup. Was too much for our Eskimoo—He thus kept green in verity by the hills above Monaco town.

COFFEE DID IT. Put a Man Out of the Race.

Coffee serves some people in a most atrocious manner. I was a veritable coffee fiend, until finally my stomach rebelled at the treatment and failed to work.

When I began its use I had been troubled for two years with all kinds of stomach trouble. I became a veritable walking apothecary shop, but I have not taken a dose of medicine since I commenced using Postum.

Advertisement for 'SEE THAT THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF EVERY WRAPPER OF EVERY BOTTLE OF CASTORIA' featuring a baby and the signature of Dr. J. C. Williams.

Advertisement for 'DE WET'S BOOK' titled 'Why England Didn't Find Her Grave In South Africa' by Archibald De Wet.

Advertisement for 'COFFEE DID IT' by Postum, featuring a testimonial about a man who was cured of stomach issues.

Advertisement for 'W. E. RAY' featuring a portrait and text about a death and a will.

Advertisement for 'FOOT SILL' featuring a portrait and text about a man's condition.

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